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For: ENDOGENOUS RETROVIRUSES UP-REGULATED IN PROSTATE CANCER

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 28, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry of this paper into the file of the above-captioned application. The fee necessary to extend the response period by three months is being submitted herewith.

No additional fees are believed to be due. However, should any additional fees be required or an overpayment of fees made, please debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, as needed.

Claims 1, 3-6, 10, 13-15, and 39-113 are pending in this application. Claims 4-6, 50-52, 66-68, 80-82, 91-93, 100-102, and 109-111 have been withdrawn and claims 1, 3, 10, 13-15, 39-49, 53-65, 69-79, 83-90, 94-99, 103-108, 112, and 113 have been rejected. Claims 2, 7-9, 11, 12, and 16-38 have been canceled. Please enter the following amendments.

A LISTING OF CLAIMS reflects claim amendments and begins on page 2 of this paper.

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